

ABSTRACT

Compositions for forming molecular associates with lipophilic compounds and an improved method of loading lipophilic biologically active compounds into
5 previously formed, aqueous suspensions of lipid particles. A preferred
embodiment for injection purposes comprise lipid particles having sizes below 1000
nm in diameter, in a vial or other suitable container are described. The method
involves mixing a lipophilic compound either in solution or as an amorphous,
preferably lyophilised powder in a first container with an aqueous suspension of
10 lipid particles contained in a second container to form molecular associates. Only
minimum agitation is required. The entire procedure may be carried out instantly
in situ, in sealed sterile units just prior to use in the hospital ward or by the bedside.